

Introducing DuraPlate® HD

The Ultimate Dry Van.



Another Wabash Innovation

At Wabash National, we have a long tradition of continuous improvement and innovation in the design and manufacture of high-quality, long-lasting trailers. Our newest innovation utilizes DuraPlate® composite technology—the DuraPlate HD Dry Van. The DuraPlate HD combines the superior strength, durability, and value of the DuraPlate trailer with additional features that help it stand up to the toughest applications.

The Ultimate in Durability

The DuraPlate HD combines the revolutionary DuraPlate sidewall panel with a unique, high base plate/lower rail design. This design combines all the advantages of an aluminum plate trailer with those of a DuraPlate* trailer, making it your best choice for a broad range of heavy-duty applications. Coupled with high quality standard specifications and superior manufacturing standards, the DuraPlate HD delivers the ultimate in strength and durability.

Heavy-Duty Base Plate Design

The unique base rail design provides 22" of heavy duty lower sidewall protection, where 90% of trailer damage occurs.

- 22" high .190 aluminum base plate provides high resistance to sideswipes and other exterior damage that often occurs at the lower sidewall.
- Post-less and seamless design protects against damage caused by load impacts to interior, reducing repair costs and downtime.
- Base plate design provides lower interior protection without requiring a scuff liner, eliminating snagging and other damage costs commonly associated with scuff liner usage.
- Multiple repair methods can be utilized on the aluminum base plate for cost-effective, efficient maintenance.



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* Over 150,000 DuraPlate trailers currently in operation.

DuraPlate HD Dry Vans



DuraPlate Composite Material

DuraPlate sidewalls and doors consist of a polyethylene plastic core bonded between two sheets of pre-painted, high-strength galvanized steel. The result is an efficient, lightweight, incredibly strong panel that provides significant advantages over traditional designs.

- 80,000 psi yield, full-hard steel skins resist punctures, scrapes, and buckling.
- Polyethylene core protects against rot, corrosion, and permanent deformation.
- Latest technology composite materials provide a triple barrier against damage and moisture, to protect cargo.
- Proven composite material characteristics extend the life of the trailer, reduce maintenance costs, and provide higher trade-in value.



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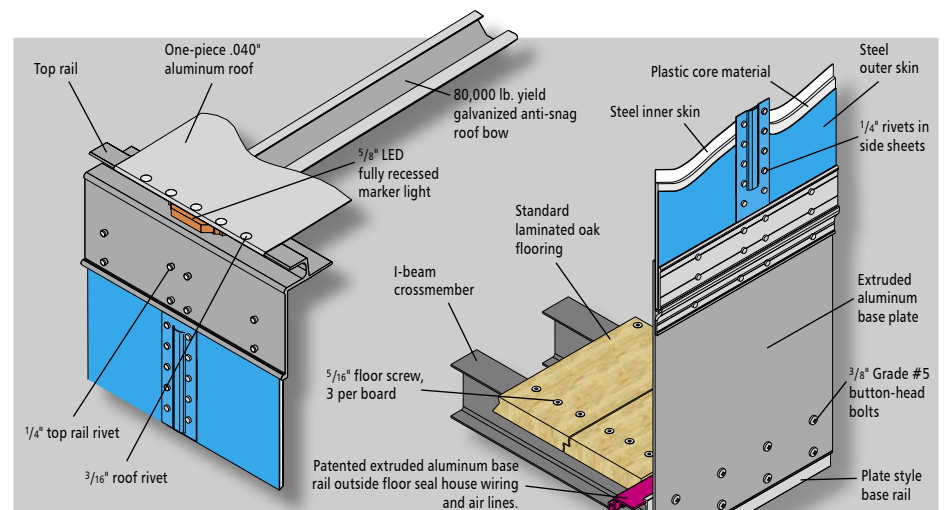
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Unique Sidewall Panel Design

The DuraPlate sidewall panel design eliminates internal and external posts while maintaining superior strength, maximum interior width, and durability.

- Composite sidewall material resists damage and permanent deformation by absorbing impact.
- Post-less exterior design provides a superior surface for customer graphics.
- Composite sidewall eliminates the need to maintain and replace typical plywood liners.

- Post-less interior design maximizes interior width at 101 1/2".
- White interior provides a bright, work-friendly environment.
- As an integral part of the sidewall, the optional patented logistics seam provides more reliable fastening and exceptional strength.
- Optional A-slot logistics seam, rated at 1,800 pounds working load, supports A and E load bars.
- Modular panel design permits efficient repairs.



Wabash National continuously improves its products. Contact your Wabash dealer for updates.

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